

Appl. No. 10/509,990
Amdt. dated January 26, 2008
Reply to Office Action of 01/07/2008

REMARKS/ELECTION

In the Office Action, the application was said to have claims directed to four species of invention.

Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, the claims of species I, embodiments of Figs. 1-13 and 21, wherein the pump is of axial piston design for prosecution at this time.


The following claims are readable on the elected species: claims 24-41.

The remaining claims of species II, species III and species IV are to be withdrawn from prosecution, it being understood that these claims may be filed in divisional applications in the future.

This election is believed to place this case in condition for examination, and the Examiner is respectfully requested to provide an action on the merits.

In the event there are any further issues outstanding, the Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone attorney for applicant at the below listed telephone number.


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